

PIPRA CAUDATA.



CHARACTER GENERICUS.

Rostrum capite brevius, basi subtrigonum, integrum, apice incurvum.

Pedes gressorii.

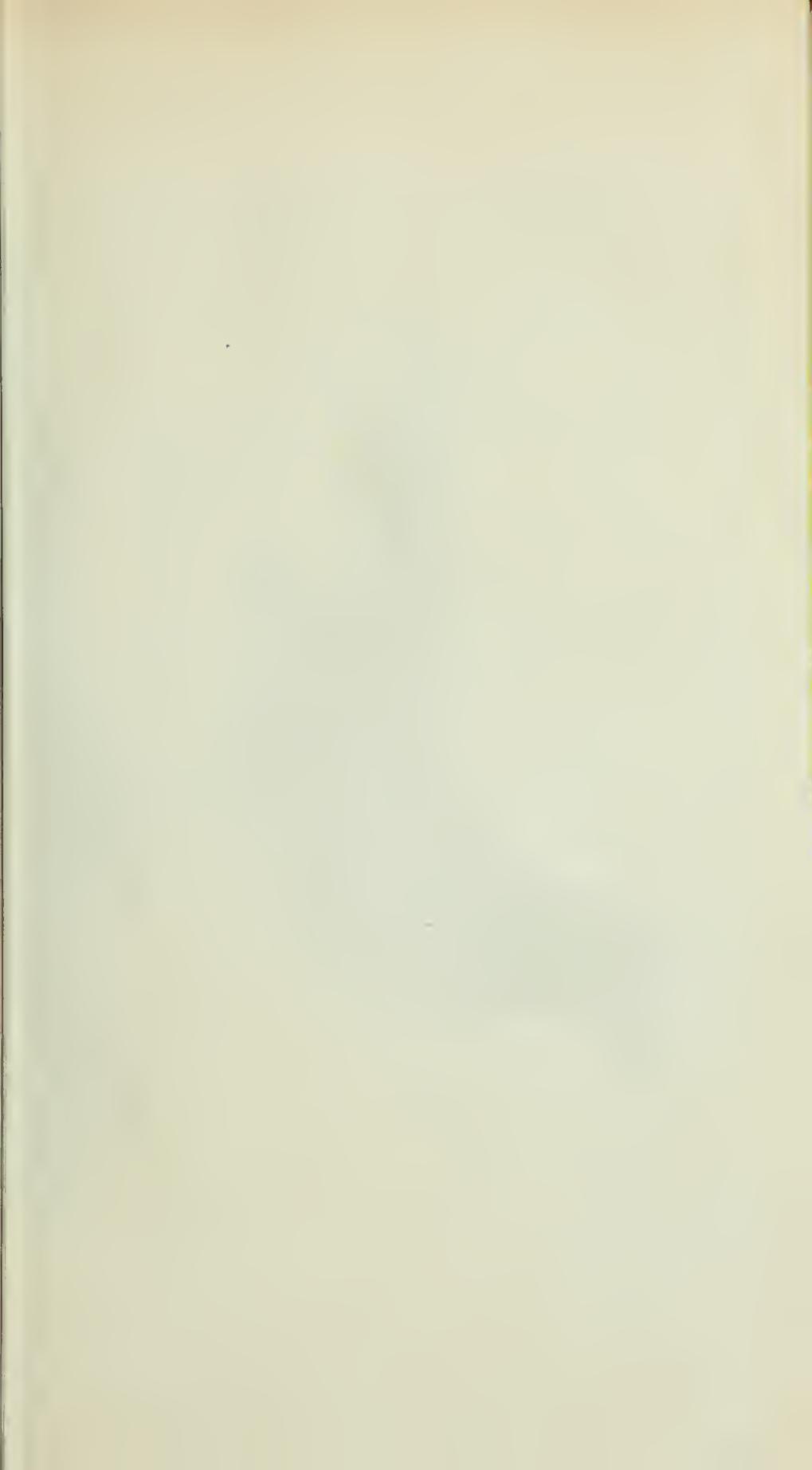
Lin. Syst. Nat. p. 338.

CHARACTER SPECIFICUS.

PIPRA CÆRULEA, vertice subcristato coccineo, alis nigris, rectricibus duabus intermediis elongato-acuminatis.

Colli caudæque latera viridi-splendentia.

Aviculam in suo genere proculdubio pulcherri-
mam et coloribus eximiis superbientem, simulque
novam nec antea descriptam, magnitudine naturali
depictam, sistit tabula. In America Australi et
calidiori, sicut aliæ pleræque congeneres, præcipue
invenitur.





THE
LONG-TAILED MANAKIN.



GENERIC CHARACTER.

Bill shorter than the head, somewhat triangular at the base, bent at the tip.

Feet gressorial.

SPECIFIC CHARACTER.

BLUE MANAKIN with scarlet crown, black wings, and the two middle tail-feathers elongated and acuminated.

The sides of the neck and tail have a green lustre.

The bird here represented, which is unquestionably the most brilliant of its tribe, and is besides a new and hitherto undescribed species, is figured in its natural size. Like the rest of its genus it is principally found in the warmer parts of South America.